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Via ECFS
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I chose Sonic for several reasons that you should, indeed must, consider important!

As an economist, I know small and middle sized businesses are the backbone of our economy and our employment levels. So I looked for a smaller, local provider and found one in Sonic. I am so happy I did.

Many of my friends complain about their service with ATT and others. Such large corporations try to lure you with lower introductory prices, but this is obviously just a ploy as they will soon raise them.

Today we all need to be connected, especially as we try to stay at home to work some days. We need reliable connections. Sonic is great, never a problem. And now that they are putting in fiber service in our neighborhood we will have even better service, allowing us to avoid using an overcrowded metro and not contributing to the horrendous traffic in our region.

I want to keep using Sonic, I want net neutrality, and I always vote, after working the phone lines to help get more voters to the polls!!

Sincerely,

Paul Casperson